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PROTEINS REQUIRED FOR VIRAL REPLICATION

SECHALITY SOUTH NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Commissioner for Patents Box AF Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated November 5, 2002 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 2-8, 11, 12, 14-17, and 57-74 of the above-identified application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1.		An extension of time for responding to the final rejection for (3) month(s): was filed on submitted herewith.
2.	⊡	A timely response to the final rejection is filed herewith.
3.		A fee in the amount of \$320.00 is: Required. Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal).
4.		Applicant has qualified for the 50% reduction in fee for an independent inventor, non-profit organization or small business concern and a fee in the amount of \$160.00 is: Required. Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal).
5.		Please charge the required fee, if any, to Pennie & Edmonds 11P Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted.

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